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ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI
January 7, 1948

Mr. Eric Newman
Edison Brothers Stores, Inc.
315 Washington Ave.
St. Louis, Missouri

Dear Mr. Newman:

As you requested in our telephone conversation this morning I am setting down in writing the invitation to address the "ST. LOUIS WESTERNERS" at their meeting of Wednesday, January 21, 1948. The meeting will be held in the Assembly Room of the Old Court House, 415 Market St. at 8 P.M.

In accordance with your suggestion we shall announce your subject as "EARLY MONEY OF THE WEST." If you care to bring exhibits, I am sure they will heighten interest.

This organization is less than 2 years old, has 21 members and often has an attendance of 20 or more, including guests. Meetings are usually opened with a business session lasting about 30 minutes. Then comes the principal address, paper or informal talk which lasts about 1 hour, more or less. Meetings wind up with a question period or informal discussion. Let me emphasize that we operate quite informally, leaving the speaker of the evening a wide discretion.

Notices of the meeting will go out about January 15. If the development of some emergency makes it impossible for you to deliver your address at the January 21 meeting, may I ask you to please notify me by telephone, shown below.

I am sure that I express the sentiments of all our members in thanking you for consenting to appear before us.

Sincerely yours,

Frederick C. Ault

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